

REPUBLIC OF SYRIA

Ministry of Public Works and Communications

Department of Civil Aviation

LEGISLATIVE DECREE NO. 101

of 28th November 1949

LAW REGULATING AIR CIRCULATION AND NAVIGATION OVER SYRIAN TERRITORY ¹

The Council of Ministers,
By Virtue of the powers vested therein,
And in accordance with the proposal of the Minister of Public Works and Communications,
And in accordance with the Council of Ministers' Decision No. 251, dated 28th November 1949,

Decrees the following:

Article 1. The Law attached to this Legislative Decree which regulates Air Circulation and Navigation over Syrian territory shall be ratified.

Article 2. This Legislative Decree shall be published and notified to the authorities concerned for execution.

LAW

Regulating Air Circulation and Navigation Over Syrian Territory

CHAPTER 1. AIRCRAFT

SECTION 1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

Article 1. The State has complete and absolute sovereignty over the air space above its territory. Insofar as the application of this Law is concerned, the territory of the State includes its territorial waters.

Article 2. No aircraft shall fly over Syrian territory or land thereon unless it has obtained permission in accordance with the provisions of this Law.

Article 3. "Aircraft" includes every machine or apparatus which can become airborne due to the displacement of air.

¹ Pub. in Off. Gaz. No. 66, Dec. 12, 1949. English text supplied by the Government of Syria.